

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY GABORONE

TO AMEMBASSY MBABANE PRIORITY

INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 579

AMEMBASSY BLANTYRE

AMEMBASSY LAGOS

AMEMBASSY LUSAKA

AMEMBASSY MASERU

AMEMBASSY PRETORIA

AMCONSUL CAPETOWN

AMCONSUL JOHANNESBURG

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE GABORONE 1250

E. O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BGEN, OTRA, BC

SUBJ: TRAVEL OF INTERCONTINENTAL HOTEL OFFICIAL ROSS

REF: LAGOS 8545

CAPETOWN FOR EMBASSY

1. HAVE MADE ARRANGEMENTS TENTATIVELY FOR ROSS VISIT AND RESERVED ONE SINGLE ROOM AT HOLIDAY INN FOR NIGHTS OF SEPT 19 AND 20. ONLY FLIGHT TO LIVINGSTONE FROM GABORONE (OR ANYWHERE ELSE IN BOTSWANA) IS ON THURSDAY. REGRET THEREFORE THAT WE CANNOT PROVIDE TRANSPORTATION GABORONE TO LIVINGSTONE SEPT. 21 BY SCHEDULED AIRLINE.

2. WE SEE TWO ALTERNATIVES FOR TRAVEL TO LIVINGSTONE. FIRST IS TO CHARTER A FLIGHT. WE HAE QUERIED ESQUIRE AIRWAYS WHO WOULD BE WILLING TO FLY A SINGLE PASSENGER TO LIVINGSTONE FOR RAND 425.

3. THE OTHER ALTERNATIVE IS TO RETURN TO JOHANNESBURG AND ATTEMPT TO MAKE CONNECTIONS FROM THERE. RETURN FLIGHT GABORONE

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TO JOHANNESBURG FRIDAY, SEPT. 20 IS FULLY BOOKED. WE HAVE MADE

TENTATIVE RESERVATIONS FOR FLIGHT SATURDAY, SEPT. 21 VIA SA107  
DEPARTING GABORONE 1210 ARRIVING JOHANNESBURG 1310.

4. REQUEST ROSS ADVISE ASAP AS TO ONWARD TRAVEL WISHES.  
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